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In re Application of:

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KERATINOUS FIBRES WITH DIRECT
CATIONIC COLOURING AGENT AND
A QUATERNARY AMMONIUM SALT

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application
as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 3, line 11, delete "particular anionic surfactant" and replace with
--quatarnary ammonium salt--.

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